

# **SC Annual School Report Card Summary**

**Starr-Iva Middle School** 

**Anderson County School District Three** Grades: 6-8 **Enrollment: 640** 

**Principal: Barry Jacks** 

Superintendent: Gail Southard **Board Chair: Curtis Wiles** 

## **PERFORMANCE**

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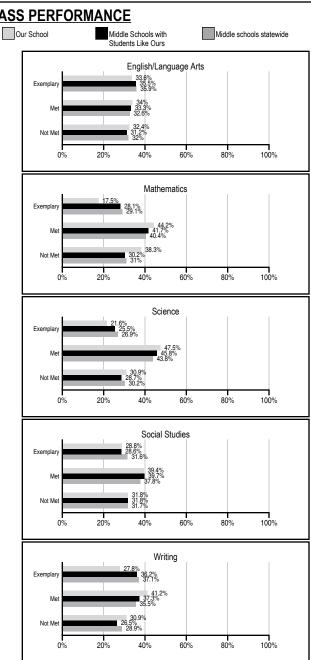
YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		ESEA/FEDERAL A	ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator
2012	Average	Average	TBD	TBD	С	N/A
2011	Average	Average	Silver	N/A	Not Met	N/A
2010	Average	Average	N/A	N/A	Not Met	N/A

# **ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\***

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
6	15	44	3	0

<sup>\*</sup> Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2012. Schools with Students Like Ours are Middle Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

## PASS PERFORMANCE



# **NAEP PERFORMANCE\***

\* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Parcentages at NAEP Achievement Levels

Percentages at N							
READING – GRADE 8 (2011)							
South Carolina		28	45		25		2
Nation		25	43		29		3
% Below Basic % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced  ■ Below Basic □ Basic □ Proficient ■ Advanced							
MATH – GRADE 8 (2011)							
South Carolina	[	30	38		25		7
Nation		28	39		26		8
% Below Basic   % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced   Below Basic   Basic   Proficient   Advanced							
SCIENCE - GRADE 8 (2009)							
South Carolina		45	32		22	1	
Nation		38	33		28	1	I
% Below Basic							

END OF COURSE TESTS - 2012						
% of students scoring 70 or above on:	Our Middle School	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours				
Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2	97.0	96.7				
English 1	91.2	97.6				
Physical Science	N/A	N/A				
US History and the Constitution	N/A	N/A				
All Subjects	94.0	96.9				

#### **SC PERFORMANCE VISION**

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

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## **SCHOOL PROFILE**

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Middle Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Middle School
Students (n=640)				
Students enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8)	16.5%	Down from 29.9%	23.6%	22.9%
Retention rate	0.2%	Up from 0.0%	0.8%	0.8%
Attendance rate	94.4%	Down from 94.5%	95.9%	96.2%
Served by gifted and talented program	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
With disabilities other than speech	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Older than usual for grade	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.6%	Up from 0.2%	0.5%	0.5%
Annual dropout rate	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers (n=38)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	47.4%	Up from 41.5%	61.4%	61.3%
Continuing contract teachers	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Teachers returning from previous year	91.6%	Up from 87.7%	87.3%	86.7%
Teacher attendance rate	93.9%	Down from 95.5%	95.2%	95.2%
Average teacher salary*	\$44,526	Up 5.2%	\$46,535	\$46,422
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	No Change	0.9%	2.0%
Professional development days/teacher	8.0 days	Up from 6.2 days	9.8 days	10.0 days
School				
Principal's years at school	4.0	Up from 3.0	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	23.5 to 1	Up from 22.9 to 1	22.3 to 1	22.0 to 1
Prime instructional time	87.1%	Down from 89.1%	89.9%	90.1%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Parents attending conferences	99.5%	Up from 95.0%	98.7%	98.8%
Character development program	Average	Down from Good	Good	Good
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$6,111	Down 13.6%	\$7,060	\$7,245
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	61.6%	Down from 62.2%	63.4%	63.1%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	60.1%	Down from 60.8%	61.8%	60.9%
ESEA composite index score	78.8	N/A	85.9	88.1
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<sup>\*</sup> Length of contract = 185+ days.

#### **EVALUATION RESULTS**

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	26	0	0
Percent satisfied with learning environment	65.4%	N/R	N/R
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	84.6%	N/R	N/R
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	57.7%	N/R	N/R

<sup>\*</sup>Only students at the highest middle school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

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# REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

From Mr. Barry Jacks, Starr Iva Middle School Principal

**IWith this being my first year as principal at Starr Iva** Middle School, I am very concerned about poor test scores, procedures, staff development, and an overall lack of high expectation. However, I am very encouraged that we have a fine group of students and parents bolstered by a great supporting cast and leadership from our district office. You can look for Starr Iva Middle School to be one of the fastest climbing middle schools in the state.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Prior year audited financial data available.